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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Andrew Poppelwell et al.
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ESTIMATION OF ERROR
IN DATA RECOVERY SCHEMES
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2004
please amend the above-identified application as follows: